### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case: 2:23-cr-20246

Judge: Friedman, Bernard A.

MJ: Patti, Anthony P. Filed: 04-20-2023

INFORMATION USA VS BAKER (DP)

Danil Iain Crisdean Baker,

Violations:

Defendant.

18 U.S.C. § 2422(b) 18 U.S.C. §

2423(a)

#### **INFORMATION**

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY CHARGES:

### COUNT ONE COERCION AND ENTICEMENT 18 U.S.C. § 2422(b)

From in or about November 2022 through on or about December 9, 2022, in the Eastern District of Michigan, and elsewhere, defendant, Danil Iain Crisdean Baker, used a facility and means of interstate and foreign commerce to knowingly persuade, induce, entice, and coerce MV1, an individual who had not attained the age of 18 years, to engage in sexual activity for which a person can be charged with a criminal offense, namely, sexual exploitation of children, which was a violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2251(a) and (e); all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2422(b).

# COUNT TWO INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF A MINOR TO ENGAGE IN CRIMINAL SEXUAL ACTIVITY 18 U.S.C. §2423(a)

On or about December 9, 2022, in the Eastern District of Michigan, and elsewhere, defendant, Danil Iain Crisdean Baker, knowingly transported MV1, an individual who had not attained the age of 18 years, in interstate and foreign commerce, with intent that the individual engage in sexual activity for which a person can be charged with a criminal offense, namely, criminal sexual conduct in the third degree, which was a criminal offense under MCL § 750.520d and criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree, which was a criminal offense under MCL § 750.520e; all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2423(a).

# FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(c) 28 U.S.C. § 2461 18 U.S.C. § 2428(a)

The allegations contained in Counts One and Two of this Information are hereby re-alleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(c), 28 U.S.C. § 2461 and 18 U.S.C. § 2428(a).

Upon conviction of one or more of the offenses charged in Counts One or Two of the Information, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(c), 28 U.S.C. § 2461 and/or 18 U.S.C. § 2428(a), Defendant shall forfeit to the United States the following:

- i. Any interest in any property, real or personal, that was used or intended to be used to commit or to facilitate that commission of the offense; and
- ii. Any property, real or personal, constituting or derived from any proceeds that such person obtained, directly or indirectly, as a result of such violation.

<u>Substitute Assets</u>: If the property described above as being subject to forfeiture, as a result of any act or omission of Defendant:

- a. Cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. Has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- c. Has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- d. Has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. Has been commingled with other property that cannot be divided without difficulty;

the United States of America shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).

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